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In re Application of

KOLTER et al.

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For: A PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SOLID ORAL DOSAGE FORMS WITH
SUSTAINED RELEASE OF ACTIVE INGREDIENT

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
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Sir:

In response to the office action dated January 27, 2003, applicants respectfully
request entry of the following amendments, in accordance with 37 CFR §1.114.